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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re of Applicant)
Pawan R. Gupta) Art Group: 2855
Serial No.: 09/521,037)
Filing Date: March 8, 2000)
Title: DEVICE AND METHOD FOR) Examiner: MARTIR, LILYBETT
TESTING THE TENSION IN)
STRESSED CABLES OF)
CONCRETE STRUCTURE)

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RESPONSE

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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated April 7, 2003, having
a due date of July 7, 2003, Applicant hereby submits the
following Amendment.

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REMARKS

Claims 1-3, 5-10, 12-14, and 16-18 are pending and rejected
in this application.

Claims 1, 8, and 10 are amended hereby; and claims 19 and 20
are added hereby. Applicant submits that no new matter has been
introduced in such claims. Support for the newly added subject
matter can be found at, e.g., Figs. 1, 3, and/or 5.

Responsive to the rejection of claims 1 and 7-9 under 35 USC
§ 102 (b) as being anticipated by JP8-178770 (Kamibayashi),